

REMARKS

Claim 33 is amended. Claims 17-33, as amended, remain in the application. No new matter is added by the amendments to the claims.

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action dated July 21, 2008, Applicant hereby elects Species 1, the invention recited in the apparatus Claims 17-32.

Applicant amended Claim 33 to recite that the swiveling device, including the swiveling arm, is positioned adjacent the cutting and stripping station as is recited in Claims 17-32. Therefore, Applicant believes that amended Claim 33 is not drawn to a patentably distinct species.

In view of the above remarks, Applicant believes that the claims of record now define patentable subject matter over the art of record. Accordingly, an early Notice of Allowance is respectfully requested.